

SENATOR VRTISKA: I wish you would.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: It would take the 8 percent under paid circulators for a statutory provision under 22CA that says 73,546 and it would change it...remember the old 22CA was based on registered voters.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Right.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: And the new one is based on gubernatorial voters.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Right.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: So what we have to do if we want to make the numbers more closely coincide is raise the percentage, and it would have to be raised to 12 percent and that doesn't even come up quite to it, but it comes close to it. Otherwise we're stuck with 45,921 as you will see under LR 6CA.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Okay, so what you're using now is the...I'm trying to decide, you're using 6CA with the AM0784 or...

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Well it's 811 because as I said...

SENATOR VRTISKA: Oh, yeah, well it's not down here yet but that's the figures that's going to be on...

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Right, those are the figures that are on 811.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Okay. I just wanted to make sure that I understood what your numbers were so that if I want to vote for this I would be, certainly I want to understand what I am voting for.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Right.

SENATOR VRTISKA: But if those are the numbers, then I understand it. Thank you.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Okay, thank you.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you, Senator Vrtiska. On the Schimek amendment, Senator Bernard-Stevens, followed by Senator Hall.